

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case Files - Criminal

November 1834

State

vs

Richardson, John

Assault with intent to commit rape

Victim Mary Jones; contains defendant's
petition and writ of habeas corpus

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State of Missami
County of Jefferson

set

In the Circuit Court
November ten. 1884.

Jefferson, to wit, The grand jurors of the State of
Missouri impanelled sworn and charged to
inquire for the body of the county of Jefferson on
their oath present, that John Richardson on
late of said county - on the nineteenth day of
September in the year of our Lord one thousand
and eight hundred and thirty four with
force and arms at the county of said in
and upon one Mary Jones then and there be-
ing, did make an assault and her the said
Mary Jones then and there did beat wound
and ill-treat with intent her the said Ma-
ry Jones violently and against her will then
and there feloniously to ravish and carnal-
ly know and other wrong to the said Mary
Jones then and there did, to the great damage
of the said Mary Jones contrary to the form
of the statute in such case made and pro-
vided and against the peace and digni-
ty of the State.

B. Allen

Circuit attorney.

Note

John Richardson

Spends with silent
Commit a rope

in the
face of ~~power~~
heavy power

a fine line

Johnston
Governor.

State of Missouri } to
County of Jefferson }

The State of Missouri to the Sheriff of said County greeting
You are hereby commanded to take John Richardson
if he may be found in your bailiwick, and him
safely keep so that you have him body before the
Judge of our Circuit Court, at the next Term
thereof to be held in the Town of Hannibal
within and for the County of Jefferson on the
third Monday of March next then and
then to answer the State on an Indictment
for an assault with intent to commit a rape
against the peace and dignity of the State
And have you then this writ -

Witness Samuel Woodson Clerk
of our said Circuit Court at
Hannibal, this nineteenth
day of November in the year
Eighteen hundred and thirty four

Sam. Woodson Clerk

Executed on John Richardson by taking him in
Custody —
December 3rd 1834 S. W. Gustafson Sheriff

March Term 1834

State
vs { Capious
John Richardson

Indictment for Assault
with intent to Kill
Commit a Rape

To Benjamin Johnston Gent & John Geiger
Esq^s Justices of the peace for the county of
Jefferson, in the State of Missouri, the petition of
John Richardson, humbly sheweth.

That he is now in the custody of the
Sheriff of said Jefferson County, on a warrant
issued on an indictment found against the
subscriber by the Grand Jury for said County,
whereof the charge specified may be ascertained
from the following copy of the warrant. (Thereto),

State of Missouri }
County of Jefferson } ss.

The State of Missouri to the Sheriff of Jefferson
County, Greeting. You are hereby commanded to
take John Richardson, if he may be found in
your bailiwick, and him safely keep, so that you
have his body before the Judge of our Circuit Court
at the next term thereof, to be held in the town of
Herculaneum, within & for the County of Jefferson,
on the third Monday of March next, then & there
to answer the State on an Indictment for an
assault with intent to commit a Rape, against
the peace and dignity of the State. And have you
then this writ. Witness Saml Woodson, Clerk of our said Circuit Court,
at Herculaneum this nineteenth day of November
in the year eighteen hundred & thirty four. Saml Woodson, Clerk

And your petitioner would pray your honors
to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus, and command
the Sheriff to deliver up the body of the Subscriber
into the custody of your honors, to do, submit to,
and receive whatsoever your honors shall judge
fit and lawful in the premises.

And your petitioner, as in duty
bound will ever pray -

Dated at Herculaneum this

4th day of Dec^r 1834. Signed -

In presence of
Richard Smith.

John Richardson

John Richardson
Petitioner for
Habeas Corpus.

State of Missouri }
County of Jefferson } J. Mercurianum Dec- 4, 1834

The State of Missouri, to the Sheriff of
Jefferson County - Greeting.

We Benjamin Johnston, ^{Senr} & John Guizer -
two Justices of the Peace within & for the County of
Jefferson, in the State of Missouri, command you that
the body of John Richardson, in the jail of the said
County, under your custody (as it is said) detained
under safe & secure conduct, together with the day & the
cause of his being taken & detained, by whatsoever
name the said John Richardson may be charged in
the same, you have before us at the office of John
Guizer Esq. in the town of Mercurianum in the said
County of Jefferson, on the 4th day of Dec- 1834,
then & there to do, submit, & receive, whatsoever we
shall consider in that behalf.

Witness our names in our official capacity
the day & year above written.

B. Johnston ^{Senr}
John Guizer J. P.

In compliance to the within writ of Habeas
Corpus I have ^{in brought} the said John Richardson in
court this 4th day of December 1834

J. S. McChristian Sheriff

John Richardson
or
Sheriff of Jefferson County

"By the Habeas Corpus act"

Know all men that we John Richardson
as principal, and Booker Richardson, Nichols
Wise, and Wm M^c Miller as Sureties are held
and firmly bound unto the State of Missouri
the sum of Two hundred dollars to be levied
of ~~their~~ goods, chattels, lands, & tenements -

The Condition of the foregoing is,
that whereas the said John Richardson stands
indicted by the Grand Jury of Jefferson county
for an offence with intent to commit a rape,
now if the said John Richardson shall appear
before the Circuit Court to be holden in Her-
culaneum, in the County of Jefferson, State of
Missouri, on the third Monday in March A.D. 1835,
and answer the said charge, & shall
not depart therefrom until duly legally dis-
charged, then this bond shall be void, & of
no effect, otherwise to be & remain in full
force and virtue. Dated at Herculanum this
4th day of December A.D. 1834. In witness whereof
we have hereunto set our hands & seals, day & year
above written.

In presence of
Richard Smith.



John Richardson {L.S.}

Booker Richardson {L.S.}

N. H. Wise {L.S.}

Wm. M. Miller {L.S.}

State of Missouri

20th December

John Richardson

to Mr. James 1845

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COUNTRY OF THE FROST, 20F.

County—GREETING :

Byrd

Henry Chesnut

Contremin de Hindley, Perry's Point
and Wm Ellis.

plaintiff
defendant

Thence by order
NOEL SMITH, Clerk of our said

town of Herculaneum, this 24th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three

Sam Goodenclerk, C. C.

J. H. on Ex. Court Court
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W. H. H.

W. H. H.

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W. H. H.

Elias H. H.

Elias H. H.

W. H. H.

W. H. H.

W. H. H.

W. H. H.

The within witnesses summoned
except Elias Cobb not to be found
in my bailure.

J. S. M. Christian Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SCT.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

TO THE SHERIFF OF

COUNTY--GREETING.

You are hereby commanded to summon

John Richard and Rebecca Lewis, Lewis's Heirs &c

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, he be and appear in proper person before the Judge
of our Circuit Court, on the *18th* day of *March*, at the town of Her-

culaneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending

in our said Court, wherein

the State of Missouri

plaintiff,

and

John Richard

defendant,

on the part of the *Defendant*; and have you then there this writ.

WITNESS,

Sam. Spooner

CLERK, Clerk of our said Circuit Court,

at the town of Herculanenum, this

twenty second day of

January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-

dred and *thirty*

Sam. Spooner CLERK C. C.

Jefferson Circuit Ct.
Hearst Term 1835

Wm. H. H.

Wm. H. H.

John Richardson

John Richardson

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John Richardson

The within Witness Summoned
J. S. Christian Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SCT.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

TO THE SHERIFF OF *Jefferson* COUNTY--GREETING.

You are hereby commanded to summon *Richardas Wrice, Booken Richardson, James Long, and Georgeant He mards.*

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, he be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the *15th* day of *March* ~~and~~ at the town of Herculaneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein *the State of Missouri* is plaintiff, and *John Bookendson* is defendant, on the part of the *Defendant*; and have you then there this writ.

WITNESS, *James Bookendson* ~~CHAMUNEX SMITH~~, Clerk of our said Circuit Court,

at the town of Herculaneum, this *twentieth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty eight* *James Bookendson* CLERK C. C.

of the within Witnesses Summoned
J. S. Christian Sheriff

Jefferson Circuit Co
Grand Jury 1835

The State
vs
John Richardson

Richardson
Barth Richardson
James Boyd
Margaret Hummels
for
Deft.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

Country—GREETING:

Benjamin Franklin, 1757

March, Henry Martin and Isaac Hewitt -

plaintiff
defendant

on the part of the Defendant ; and have you then there this writ.

Wm. H. Smith, Clerk of our

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in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five

Samuel Proctor

CLERK, C. C.

High Court Court
March Term 1835

The State of Oregon

vs. { Charles

John W. Landon

Henry Johnston

Henry Johnston

Mary Johnston

James Johnston

In the Court of the State

The within Witnesses summoned
J. W. Landon Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING

You are hereby commanded to summon

John Nelson, Michael Nelson and James Nelson

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay he be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the 1st Monday day of July next, at the town of Herculaneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein the said of defendants is plaintiff, and John Richardson is defendant, on the part of the State

; and have you then there this writ.

James Brothman

Witness, CHAUNCEY SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this 20th day of

March

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five

James Brothman CLERK, C. C.

Exempted
J. M. Christian Sheriff

July Term 1833-

The State

vs { The for

John Richardson

John Ash

James Northcraft

John Nelson

Rachael Nelson

James Nelson

The Court of the State

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Henry Jones ~~xxxxxx~~ *Edw. facet Jones and*

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, *he* be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the *seventh* day of *July* next, at the town of Herculaneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein *the State of Missouri is* plaintiff, and *John Richardson is* defendant, on the part of the *State*

James Harrison, and have you then there this writ.

Witness, CHANCERY SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this

thirteenth

day of

April

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and

thirty five

Sam'l Booth CLERK, C. C.

Granted
R. M. Christian Sheriff.

July Term 1833

the State

vs. John

Richardson

Deed of John
Richardson

for the State

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon
James Jones, Rebecca Jones and David Jones

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, he be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the twelfth day of July next, at the town of Herculanum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein the State of Mississippi is plaintiff, and John Pickens is defendant,

on the part of the *Department*; and have you then there this writ, *Samuel Woodson*

Witness, CHANCERY SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this *thirteenth* day of
April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *thirty five* *Sam. Woodson* CLERK, C. C.

July Term 1833

The State Ex
John Richardson

John the duel
Jacob Morgan
James Jones
Rebecca Jones
Louis Gammon

Her Defendant

All Summamed; 4 cts each Wire p
not to be framed

J. M. Christian Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SOF.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING :

You are hereby commanded to summon
William Kelley and Benjamin Johnston junior and
William Ellis

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, they be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the twelfth day of July next, at the town of Herculanum,
then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court;
wherein the State of Missouri is
and John Richardson is
on the part of the Defendant; and have you then there this writ.
plaintiff ,
defendant ,

Witness, James Woodson
~~CHANCERY SMITH~~, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculanum, this thirteenth day of April
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty four
Sam. Woodson
CLERK, C. C.

all summoned; except Elias Cobb
not to be present
J. M. Christian Sheriff

July Term 1833-

The State
vs
John Richardson

Elijah Nelson
Elias Cobb
Wm. H. Rindley
Benj. Johnston
J. Wm. Ellis

For Def.

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SCT.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

James Doy and Margaret Jannard
James Doy and Margaret Jannard

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, they be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the eleventh day of July next, at the town of Herculaneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein The State of Jefferson is plaintiff, and John Richardson is defendant, on the part of the Defendant and have you then there this writ.

Witness, Jannard Jannard Jannard, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this thirteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three

Sam. Jannard CLERK, C. C.

July Term 1833

The State

vs. The

John Richardson

Michaelson & Co
vs. John Richardson
James Doy
vs. Michaelson & Co

The Defendant

Wm. M. Smith
Attorney for the Plaintiff

COPY OF JEFFERSON, SEC.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon Benjamin Robinson and Nancy
Monmouth Henry Foster and Isaac Hunt

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, they do and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the *death* day of *July next*, at the town of Hercu-
laneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said
Court, wherein *the State of Missouri is* plaintiff,
and *John Stickerson is* defendant,
on the part of the *Defendant*; and have you then there this writ.

Witness, *James Lockman* CHANCERY SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculanum, this *thirteenth* day of

April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and *thirty five* *Sam Woodson* CLERK, C. C.

Exempted
J. M. Christian Sheriff.

July Term 1833

The State

vs. E. Ma

John Richardson

Benj. Johnston Secy.

Nancy Hammon

Mary Foster

Grace Hunt

Her Defendant

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon Elias Cobb, William H. Hurling,
Benjamin John Tandy, Mathew Ellis, Charles Wise
North Richardson, James Boy and Margaret
Lawrence

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, they be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the second day of September next, at the town of Hercu-
laneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said
Court, wherein the State of Missouri is
and John Richardson is
on the part of the Defendant; and have you then there this writ.

Witness, WANCY SMITH, James Hurling
Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this twenty last day of

August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and thirty five

Sam. Hurling CLERK, C. C.

Exempted an all; except Elis Cobb not to be
fined.

J. M. Christian Sheriff

Jefferson Circuit Court

Nov. Term 1833.

At the

to

{ the for

John Richardson

Elis Cobb

Wm. H. H. H.

Benj. Johnston Jr.

Wm. Ellis

Michaela H. H.

Robert Richardson

James D. H.

Wm. H. H. H.

On the part of the Defs.

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Benjamin Johnson D. H. Hays
Hammond, Henry Foster and Isaac Hunt

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, ^{he, be} and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the *second* day of *November* next, at the town of Herculaneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court, wherein *the State of Missouri* is plaintiff, and *John Richardson* is defendant, on the part of the *Defendant*; and have you then there this writ.

Witness, *Sam. Johnson*
WITNESS, **CHALUNCEY SMITH**, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the town of Herculaneum, this *26th* day of *August* 18*86* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty six*

Sam. Johnson
CLERK, C. C.

Jefferson Circuit Court
Nov. Term 1833.

The State
vs
John Richardson

Benj. Johnston D.
Amey Hammond
Mary Foster, and
Isaac Hunt

On the part of Def.

The within Subpoena executed in all
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J. M. Christian Sheriff

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SOF.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

James Jones, Rebecca Jones, Louis Hamanaka and
Elijah Nelson

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, they be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the second day of November, at the town of Herculaneum,
then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court,
wherein The State of Jefferson is plaintiff,
and John Richland is defendant;
on the part of the State; and have you then there this writ.

Witness, ~~CHARLES~~ Sam. Brock SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this 26th day of August
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five

Sam. Brock
CLERK, C. C.

The within executed on all except; Jacob Wier
not to be fanned
J. M. Christian Sheriff

Upper Circuit Court

Nov. Term 1833

At this

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John A. Landon

John Johnson

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Elyah Wilson

On the part of the State

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Robert Lewis and Mary Lewis

John Clark, James Smith, John Smith, Richard

Miller & James Miller

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, they be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our

Circuit Court, on the second

day of November next, at the town of Her-

laneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said

Court, wherein

The State of Missouri is

plaintiff,

and John Richardson is

defendant;

on the part of the State

; and have you then there this writ.

Witness,

CLAUDE SMITH,

Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herlaneum, this

twenty sixth

day of

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

August

and thirty first

James H. Hootch

CLERK, C. C.

Presented an all of the within witnesses
J. M. Christian Sheriff

Jefferson Circuit Court
Nov. Term 1833.

vs. State
vs. Ephraim
John Richardson

Jacob Jones
Mary Jones
John Nash
James Northcraft
John Nelson
Rachael Nelson
James Nelson

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, MO.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of

Jefferson,

County—GREETING: —

You are hereby commanded to summon

James James Belva James Lewis Grunack and
Elijah Nelson

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, he be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the second day of November, at the town of Hercu-
laneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said
Court, wherein the State of Missouri is plaintiff,
and John Richardson is defendant,
on the part of the Defendant;

and have you then there this writ.

Witness, CHAUNCEY SMITH, ^{James M. Moberg}

Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculanum, this 14th

day of

October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and thirty five

James Moberg CLERK, C. C.

Granted on all of the within sentences
J. M. Christian Sheriff

Nov Decm 1835

the State

vs { Supra

John Buchanan

John Dechard

Isaac Mice Jr

James James

Bellevue James

Louis Gurneys

Isaac Nelson

on part of the Dept

COURT OF JEFFERSON, 202.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Benjamin Robinson, John Smith, and

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, he be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our Circuit Court, on the 22 day of April, at the town of Herculaneum,

then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said

Court, wherein the State of Missouri is plaintiff,

and John Smith is defendant,

on the part of the State; and have you then there this writ.

Witness, CHANCEY SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the

town of Herculaneum, this 22 day of

September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and thirty five

James H. Smith, CLERK, C. C.

Granted on all; & except John Boly not
to be farmed
J. L. M. Crustan. es/

Jefferson Circuit Court
Nov. Term 1835

The State of Ohio vs

John Richardson

John Boly

John Burgess

vs

THE STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, }
scd.

TO the Sheriff of said county—GREETING:

We command you to attach *Abbea Jones, Margaret Samack, Emily Stearns* - *mon and many others* if *they* may be found within your bailiwick, and bring *them* forthwith before the Judge of our ~~County~~ ^{Circuit} Court now sitting at the town of Herculanenum, within and for the county of Jefferson, then there to answer unto the State of Missouri, touching a certain contempt by *them* committed, in not attending as *Witness* in the case of *The State of Missouri* against *John Dickerson*

after being legally *summoned* by the sheriff of the said county; and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS, *Samuelson*, Clerk of our said court, at the town of Herculaneum, this *2d* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~twenty~~ *thirty five* and of our independence the *sixteenth* *cent*

Samuelson ~~JOHN W. PROBATE~~

The within Attachment Exempts Margaret
Gunnarch — and Rebecca Jones
Amy Hammond and Mary Foster
not attached by order of the John
Richardson the Defendant.

J. W. Christian Sheriff

Nov. Term 1833-

The State
vs
Blackburn
John Richardson
for

Rebecca Jones
Margaret Gunnarch
Amy Hammond
Mary Foster

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SCT.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of Jefferson

County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon

*Joseph Gamach and Mrs
Northcraft wife of James F. Northcraft*

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, ~~he~~ *he* be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the *third* day of *November*, at the town of Hercu-

laneum, then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said
Court, wherein *The State of Missouri is* plaintiff,

and *John Richardson is* defendant,

on the part of the *Def.*

; and have you then there this writ.

James Woodrow
Witness, ~~CHANCERY SMITH~~ Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the
town of Herculanum, this *twenty second* day of

Nov. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and

thirty five

Sam. Woodrow CLERK, C. C.

Nov. Term 1833-

The State

vs

John Richardson

for

Joel Hammet

vs

Wm. Northrop

on writ of Habeas

The within Subpoena Granted on
J. M. Christian's Sherrif

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, SCT.
THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Sheriff of *Jefferson*

County—GREETING :

You are hereby commanded to summon *Jacob Jones, Mary Jones*

that, setting aside all manner of excuse and delay, he be and appear in proper person before the Judge of our
Circuit Court, on the *third Monday* of *March* next, at the town of Herculaneum,
then and there to testify and the truth to say in a certain matter of controversy now pending in our said Court,
wherein *The State of Missouri* is plaintiff,
and *John Richardson* is defendant,
on the part of the *State* ; and have you then there this writ.

Sam Woodson
Witness, CHAUNCEY SMITH, Clerk of our said Circuit Court, at the
town of Herculaneum, this *29th* day of *November*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty four*
Sam Woodson CLERK, C. C.

March 17th 1835

The State

in { ~~the~~ for

the Disposition

James Smith &

Mary Lewis

for the State

The within subpoena
executed according
to law and returned
March 16th 1835

J. M. Emisthon clerk

The Stets

as

John Richards on

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John H. Richards clearing his business a
bit in this case attended - 4 days & 2 days
each time - & 20 miles travel -

John H

Claims Attorneys
as a Witness